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MSD Notice of Construction
N. EDGEWOOD AVE. AND HAND AVE. SEWER REPLACEMENT
In Cincinnati, Hamilton County, Ohio

Cincinnati, 27 October 2006- The Board of County Commissioners recently approved funding for the N. Edgewood Av. and Hand Ave Sewer Replacement Project. Managed by the Metropolitan Sewer District of Greater Cincinnati (MSD), construction is scheduled to begin October 30, 2006 and is expected to be completed by December 30, 2006.

The project is designed to replace the aging and failing sewer in N. Edgewood Ave between Hand and Froome. The project will involve replacing the existing sewer and reconnecting each of the house taps on N. Edgewood Ave. Construction will occur on N. Edgewood Ave between Hand and Froome Ave. Construction of the sewer will require N. Edgewood Ave. to be closed to through traffic. Local traffic will still be maintained but may be delayed. Emergency access will be maintained at all times. The awarded construction cost of the project is \$158,572.76. The contract was awarded to Fred A. Nemann Co.

This project is part of MSD's ongoing Capital Improvement Program (CIP), which is focused on continually updating and improving the operation of MSD's wastewater collection and treatment systems.

Every day, the Metropolitan Sewer District of Greater Cincinnati (MSD) manages the effective collection and treatment of more than 200 million gallons of wastewater and actively maintains 3,000 miles of sanitary and combined sewers that run through the 49 municipalities and townships of Hamilton County. Owned by Hamilton County and operated by the City of Cincinnati, MSD is committed to continually maintaining and improving its wastewater collection and treatment systems for the betterment of both public and environmental health.

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